

PROBING DEATH OF FRANK VOGEL, SIEGEL'S PARTNER

Coroner Orders Autopsy to Remove Any Suspicion of Suicide—Was Under 13 Indictments.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—To remove any suspicion of suicide in the case of Frank E. Vogel, partner of Henry Siegel, in his defunct banks and stores, who died suddenly in the Hotel Biltmore last night, Coroner Hallenstein today ordered an autopsy.

Mr. Vogel was, with Siegel, under 13 indictments for grand larceny in connection with the failure of the Siegel banks and stores.

The only person in the Vogel suite at the time of Mr. Vogel's death was his wife, Mrs. Blanch Siegel Vogel. There was not the slightest evidence, however, that Mr. Vogel had taken his own life.

For the past 15 years he has been under constant care of his physician. During this entire period he has suffered from heart trouble.

At 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon he started out for his afternoon walk, which was always very brief. He is accustomed to call Mrs. Vogel on the phone when away from her and tell her if he is feeling ill. Yesterday after he had been absent from the hotel for a quarter of an hour he called as usual, saying he was unwell.

FALLS DEAD AT WIFE'S FEET. A short time later he entered the apartment, appearing quite pale. Mrs. Vogel at once became alarmed and rang for some toast and tea.

As the bellboy rapped on the door she turned her back and walked across the room to admit him. Just as she placed her hand upon the knob she heard a low moan behind her. Then there was the sound of a fall and of a man gasping for breath. She turned quickly and found her husband stretched upon the floor motionless.

Mr. Vogel was born in Chicago in 1865. He received a public school education, and his first employment was in the Chicago Stock Exchange. He held a minor position with the Marshall Field store, and from there he went to the Henry Siegel Corporation in Chicago. He came to New York in 1904, and was made vice president of the Henry Siegel Company. He was married in 1908 to Blanche Siegel, daughter of Gerson Siegel, then vice president of the Siegel-Cooper Company. Besides his widow, he is survived by his son Frank, 12, and one daughter, Blanch, 7.

The amount of money involved in those indictments against Mr. Vogel was \$42,000; in those naming Siegel, \$725,000.

NEW PAVILION AT PENN STATE

Building 90 Feet Long for Judging Livestock.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Oct. 20.—Better facilities for judging live stock have been provided for Pennsylvania farmers and the students of State College by erection of a new pavilion at the State School of Agriculture. The huge brick and concrete structure is designed in the form of an arena, being 90 feet long and 30 feet wide. A glass roof admits plenty of light, and the spacious interior affords opportunity to display the animals properly. Temporary stalls and washrooms, in which the animals are prepared for judging, adjoin the pit.

The pavilion, which will be used for all phases of animal industry, a model slaughtering plant has been fitted out where students and farmers will be instructed in the proper methods of dressing beef and lamb, and taught the different chops and cuts.

The availability of the new stock market will be a big help to instructors in the Department of Animal Husbandry to handle the 2000 farmers who will study cattle judging here during Farmers' Week, beginning December 28.

THIRD N. Y. CHURCH OUTRAGE

Fire Caused 480,000 Loss to Parish of St. Charles Borromeo.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A second attempt to destroy a Roman Catholic church in this city today was caused by a loss of more than \$480,000 to the Church of St. Charles Borromeo, at West 12th and Cypres streets, yesterday.

The organ, which cost \$25,000, is absolutely destroyed, as are many of the furnishings of the church. An investigation on the part of the fire marshal led him to ask the District Attorney to begin an immediate investigation.

Coincident with the attempt to destroy St. Patrick's Cathedral and St. Alphonsus' Church in New York, have been the attacks on property of the Roman Catholic Church in Chicago. A week ago St. Jarrath's Roman Catholic Church, at West Jackson boulevard and South Heritag avenue, Chicago, was set on fire and damaged to the extent of \$75,000.

Catholic dignitaries here are in fear of further attacks on church property and are inclined to believe that the outrages perpetrated in Chicago have been instigated by the same band of miscreants engaged in attacks on church property in New York.

BIG ITALIAN CONVENTION

Wilmington Expects 1000 Delegates Sessions of American Alliance.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 20.—Members of the United Italian Societies dispute the claim that the coming convention of the National Grange will be the largest ever held here. While more visitors will attend the grangers' sessions it is declared the number of delegates at a meeting of the Italian American Alliance here, on October 27, 28 and 29, will be larger than the number of delegates to the other convention.

One thousand or more delegates will attend the alliance meeting. It is expected the King of Italy will send a delegate to the convention.

MOVIES FOR "HOI POLLOI"

Titled Visitor Plans to Make Aristocrats of Dock Workers and Others.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Making aristocrats out of dock workers, lumber jacks and coal heavers was the main object in life of now August de Castellane Seymour. "My idea," said the Count, "is to take pictures of real blue bloods. I'll have them show what to do with their hands and feet and how to sip soup silently. They will observe and practice what they see done on the screen."

The Count says a Philadelphia movie magazine is going to risk real dollars on his idea.

MAN FED AT WEST CHESTER BELIEVED TO BE JOHN COPE

Woman Declares Photograph is Likeness of Tramp.

WEST CHESTER, Oct. 19.—The police here and in all parts of the county are still searching for John Cope, wanted in Doylestown for killing his niece. It is believed Cope has been hiding on a farm near here, and that letters mailed from this place to his relatives were dropped in a rural mail box.

Rockwell E. Woodward, of this place, declares Cope called at his home a few days ago and that he gave him a meal. When the man had departed his resemblance to John Cope was remarked by Mrs. Woodward, who later picked the photograph of Cope from a number of others as that of the man who called at the Woodward home.

An alarm has been sent to every officer in the county. The police are assisted in their search by Lieutenant Smith, of the State Constabulary, who is still on the case.

VILLA'S LIEUTENANT MENACES SAFETY OF NON-COMBATANTS

Mayortina Places Additional Artillery Along Railroad South of Naco and Fire Now Parallels Boundary.

NACO, Ariz., Oct. 20.—Governor Mayortina, commander of the Villa forces, has further menaced the safety of the United States soldiers and non-combatants in this place by placing additional artillery along the railroad south of the town. His fire and the return fire parallel the boundary, making it unsafe for the local residents. He has received additional artillery and expects more guns to arrive almost any time.

Mayortina and General Benjamin Hill, the Carranza commander of the forces guarding Naco, Mex., have been advised of the action taken at the Aguascalientes conference in sending peace commissioners to Naco, but Mayortina ignored all overtures for a cessation of hostilities.

His Yaqui Indians are maintaining their outposts closer in, and constantly exchanging shots with the defenders.

The American troops are making the usual preparations to keep out the Mexicans. Fifty Mexican wounded troops have been sent to a hospital in Douglas, on permission from Washington. The wounded who were able to be returned across the border were ordered back there.

SOCIALIST, ONCE FOE, NOW HERO IN THE REICHSTAG

Death for Fatherland Brings Many Tributes.

BERLIN, Oct. 20.—Wondrous indeed are the changes brought about by this "war of the nations."

If three months ago a person had told another in Berlin or elsewhere in Germany that a Social-Democrat member of the Reichstag would join the army in the next war and die a soldier's death fighting for "Kaiser und Reich" he would have been laughed at.

And now? Only Germans who for decades past have witnessed the contempt, the bitter hatred, that separated the National-Liberal, that is, the Government party, from the Socialists can appreciate the historic meaning of the following telegram sent by the President of the German Parliament, Doctor Kaempf, to the Social-Democratic members of that body:

"Our colleague, member of the Reichstag, Doctor Frank, of Mannheim, has met a hero's death while fighting for the honor of the fatherland. Permit me to express the sincerest and heartfelt sympathy at the great loss thus caused to the Social-Democratic party and to the Reichstag."

REFRACTORY COWS REFUSE TO DIE FOR THEIR COUNTRY

Peaceful Bordeaux Thought Stampede the Rush of Uhlans.

BORDEAUX, Oct. 20.—The pacific tranquility of this town was disturbed by the first warlike incident when a herd of hundred prize beef cattle which were being conducted in a troop toward the city's slaughterhouse, refused to pass the country and army, and charging the picket line escaped into the country, where they are now roaming in small bands, foraging freely.

The cattle startled villagers in the middle of the night and gave rise to wild stories of Uhlans scouring the countryside.

LAUNCHING AT WILMINGTON

Steamship Will Be Used by a San Francisco Lumber Firm.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 20.—At the plant of the Harlan & Hollingsworth Corporation at noon today the steamship Francis Harlan, building for the Hanly Lumber Company, of San Francisco, was launched.

The vessel was named by Miss Helen G. Cox, daughter of William G. Cox, president of the building concern, and a number of the officials of the building company and a few guests were present.

HOME WEEK COST \$7000

Wilmington Committee Prides Itself on Successful Economy.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 20.—According to the calculation of the committee in charge of the recent Old Home Week celebration, the total cost of the celebration was about \$7000.

It is believed that for the size of the celebration, the number of parades held and the number of visitors here the cost was smaller than any celebration which has ever been held anywhere.

CHINA'S PRESIDENTIAL TERM

Extension From Five Years to Seven Under Consideration.

PEKIN, Oct. 20.—The Constitutional Committee is considering the extension of the presidential term of office from five years to seven.

The opinion prevails among the official classes that a five-year term is too short under the existing conditions in the republic.

Man Fatally Mangled by Explosion

WEST CHESTER, Oct. 20.—Sam Camastra, an Italian, foreman for the firm of St. Bennett & Son, engaged in road building for the State in East Bradford, a few miles from here, was terribly injured by an explosion of dynamite on Saturday evening and died in the Homeopathic Hospital here several hours later. One leg and both hands were blown off and his face terribly torn.

PLANNING COMPROMISE ON THE WAR TAX BILL

Amended Measure in Committee. Move to Approve Cotton Contingent.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The Ways and Means Committee met today to take up the war tax bill as amended by the Senate, and the plan was to report it back to the House with a motion to send it to conference.

Members from the cotton States, who are fighting for some measure of relief for the cotton planters, hold the balance of power on the question of speedy action and adjournment. Majority Leader Underwood admitted that should the cotton members carry out their threat to fight the war tax bill, final action and adjournment would be delayed at least a week.

The Rules Committee Democrats, of which Representative Henry, leader of the cotton revolt, is chairman, met to hear Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo explain his idea of a cotton relief plan and it was intimated that the Southern members might change their determination to fight. It was pointed out to them that the best they could do would be to delay action on the war revenue measure and House leaders hoped that the members would issue a statement following the meeting with Secretary McAdoo, announcing the abandonment of their fight, at least for the present.

CHINA CALLS U. S. ADVISERS TO DEAL WITH NEUTRALITY

Japanese Aggression in Shan Tung Has Created Tense Situation.

PEKIN, Oct. 20.—W. W. Rockhill, former United States Minister to China, and one of President Yuan Shi Kai's political advisers, has been summoned to aid the government in the preservation of neutrality. Doctor Ariga, of Japan, who serves as adviser on constitutional law, was compelled by his nationality to decline the responsibility of handling the neutrality situation.

Mr. Rockhill, who is now on leave in the United States, has been in frequent communication with the President and the Foreign Office. Lengthy cable messages have been sent to him and received from him as the capital. The situation, though complicated, promises to become less tense as the Japanese plan of campaign in Shan Tung develops and well defined limits are placed on the aggression of foreign powers at war in the Far East.

President Yuan Shi Kai has expressed his determination to prevent the spread of the conflict now devastating China, and to deal justly and fairly with all countries engaged in the struggle.

LEGLESS MEN "RUN" RACE

Roll, Scurm and Slide for \$50 Purse in Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 20.—"Half a leg, half a leg, half a leg onward!" Rushed three valiant marathons who had lost their lower extremities. Pedestrians on Jefferson avenue saw one of the strangest races ever staged in the world.

The three legless runners, two Jims and a Joe, went over the dirt road between Robert Owen's saloon, 198 West Jefferson avenue, to Jefferson and Woodward avenues, for a purse of \$50 put up by the liquor dispenser, and Joseph Johnson, of Detroit, took the prize by a hop. James McCormick, of Boston, Mass., was second, and James Murphy, of Louisville, Ky., third.

Never since the days of the hoop snake horror in Carbondale, Pa., was there such a scene when the three runners rolled, tumbled, squirmed, hopped and slid over the roadway, with Johnson half a trunk ahead of McCormick at the start and Murphy five minutes to the rear.

At the half-way mark Johnson was three rolls and a wiggle ahead of the field, which was stretching out. McCormick was coming along, but his elbows were weakening. Murphy was resting. Johnson's time at the finish was 13 minutes 10 seconds. McCormick finished on the place where the winner's heels should have been. Murphy, left in the stretch, dropped into a saloon to recuperate and finished in a taxicab.

Every member of the "Halt and Lame and Blind" Club of the city had his money down on Johnson, and a great celebration in the colony of Detroit's slow walkers was planned to mark the victory.

"CHAUNCEY DEPEW" FINED

Driver Who Tries to Speed Through Gates Gives That Name.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 20.—According to the records of Justice of the Peace Cox, of 7 Madison avenue, New York City, was last night fined \$25 and costs for recklessly driving an automobile.

The alleged Mr. Depew, in a small car which was rather the worse for wear, attempted to drive his car through the safety gates on the railroad crossing. The authorities said they knew it wasn't the former Senator, but the \$25 was not counterfeited, so it was all right.

"ANTIS" STORM DELAWARE

Open Campaign to Keep the Ballot From Women.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 20.—The Delaware Committee Opposed to Woman Suffrage will open its campaign this evening with a meeting in the ballroom of the Hotel du Pont, and it is expected that from this time on there will be as lively a fight against votes for women as for them.

This evening there will be an address by Mrs. George Duffield Goodwin, of New York.

BILLINGS ANGERED BY TAX

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 20.—Displeased with the action of the Commissioners of Revenue in taxing some of his blooded horses at \$75,000, C. K. G. Billings, the New York millionaire yachtsman and horseman, has abandoned farming operations on his famous Curlew farm and gone into the stock-raising business. He has dismissed all of his farm managers and 150 farmhands.

PRESIDENT'S NIECE, INSULTED IN STREET, HAS MAN ARRESTED

Then Pleads in Court for Leniency for Flirt, But Dr. E. C. White Is Sent to Workhouse for Ten Days.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Mrs. George Howe, niece of President Wilson, was a complainant in the Night Court, last night, against Dr. Ernest C. White, late of the faculty of the American School of Osteopathy, who, she alleged, followed her for 20 blocks on Broadway and attempted to flirt with her.

Doctor White was sentenced to 10 days in the workhouse, though Mrs. Howe pleaded for leniency.

Mrs. Howe, whose husband, Doctor Howe, is head of the department of Latin at the University of North Carolina, said that Doctor White began following her as she left the Hotel Astor, about 7 o'clock.

She continued down Broadway, stopping at several stores to make purchases, and reached Broadway and 23rd street at 7:20. There some one grasped her arm. She turned and faced Doctor White.

"Take your hand away," said Mrs. Howe indignantly. As the physician greeted her with "Hello!" Mrs. Howe screamed and attracted Policeman Kaplan, of the West Seventeenth street station, who arrested Doctor White.

In Night Court Mrs. Howe was a vision of loveliness. She wore a white silk dress, white satin slippers and a white picture hat trimmed with a long white veil. She was still indignant, but pleaded with Magistrate Breen to be merciful, as she believed Doctor White was sorry for the annoyance he had caused her.

"Why did you follow and speak to Mrs. Howe?" asked the Magistrate.

Doctor White, who is a big, handsome fellow, said: "I thought it was, perhaps, the custom here to do so. For the last seven years I have been in Paris. There it is usual for men to speak to a coquette, and I thought, perhaps, this lady was a coquette. I did not hesitate to speak to her because it is not considered an offense to speak to a woman in the streets of Paris without an introduction."

"Besides," continued the physician, warming to his subject, "I was strongly attracted to this lady. I first saw her white veil fitting in and out among the crowd. Then I caught a glimpse of her face—a pretty face. So I thought I would speak to her."

"Don't you really know that here in America it is not customary for a man to speak to a woman who does not know?" asked the Magistrate.

Doctor White inflated his chest and replied: "Do I look like a man a woman would be annoyed at because I spoke to her?"

This angered the Magistrate, and he immediately sentenced Doctor White. Mrs. Howe is living at 122 East 19th street. She has appeared on the stage under the name of Miss Margaret Vale.

MUNICIPAL ICE BOX

Cold Storage Cleveland's New Blow at High Cost of Living.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 20.—Cleveland has developed a new municipal enterprise to reduce the well-known high cost of living. It's the municipal ice box, a huge refrigerating plant at one of the city-owned markets. Cleveland housewives can now buy fruit, vegetables and eggs at summer and autumn prices. At a very small cost these commodities can be stored in the municipal ice box, and when midwinter finds prices of food stuffs almost to the sky line, they can be taken out just as good as new.

The municipal cold storage is a new idea originating with M. M. McCurdy, physician and president of the plant. Many housewives have formed clubs to take advantage of the city's offer.

U. S. WAR PLANE CONTEST

Five Machines Qualify for \$30,000 Aerial Competition.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 20.—Five machines have qualified for the \$30,000 War Department aerial competition that started at North Island today. They include two built by Glenn Curtiss, one of 50 and one of 100 horsepower; Martin's 120-horsepower plane; Siles Christoffersen and the Maximilian Schmidt entry.

The competitors will have several days to finish the required tests. The winner will receive a prize of \$12,000, the second prize will be \$10,000 and the third \$6,000.

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TWO ACCUSED OF REBATING

Former Railroad President and Head of Coal Company on Trial.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—W. C. Brown, former president of the New York Central lines, and Thomas O'Gara, head of the big coal company that bears his name, are to be placed on trial here today before Federal Judge Landis, charged with violating Interstate Commerce laws.

Brown was indicted on the charge of permitting rebates to the O'Gara Coal Company and O'Gara is accused of accepting the favors. The trial originally was set for the 1st of October, but Brown's attorneys were not ready to proceed.

WASHTUB AN INSECURE BANK

Detectives Seek Thieves Who Stole \$6000 From Hiding Place.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Detectives are scouring the city today for burglars who entered the residence of J. A. Bennett in Brooklyn last Saturday night, while Bennett and his wife were at the theatre, and stole \$6000 in silver coin hidden in a stationary washtub in the kitchen.

The burglars drove up to the house in an automobile. Bennett made a specialty of supplying banks with small change, and usually kept a large amount of the coin at home.

COLLAPSE OF PLATFORM ENDS SOCIALIST MEETING

Panic Follows Party's Demonstration in Rome.

ROME, Oct. 20.—A platform accommodating 15 leaders of the Socialist party in Italy collapsed at a great "Socialist" neutrality meeting. The meeting dissolved in a panic. Poul play is suspected.

CALLS FATAL HAZING MURDER

Judge Wants Death of Cadet William Bowins Investigated.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 20.—Declaring the death of Cadet William R. Bowins, of Middletown, Md., as a result of a hazing escapade at St. John's College here on May 26, was an act of murder, Judge Brashers, in delivering the charge to the Grand Jury of Anne Arundel County, today urged that the tragedy be probed.

The five freshmen who are held responsible for the death of Bowins are George H. Weaver, New York; Henry L. Valdez, Havana, Cuba; Fendall Marbury, Baltimore; R. A. Jones, Cambridge, Md., and John M. Noble, Preston, Md.

Brakeman Cut to Pieces by Cars

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Oct. 20.—Harry A. Platt, 21 years old, of Elmira, N. Y., a Northern Central Railroad brakeman, was cut to pieces at Hepburn street crossing this morning when he jumped from the engine to throw a switch and heavy fog hid from view an approaching train.

SIXTEEN SAVED FROM SEA

Crew Rescued When Schooner Is Cut in Two.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Sixteen members of the crew of the fishing schooner Annie Perry were saved from drowning early today when the vessel was cut in two by the steam trawler Surf off Boston light and sank in three minutes.

Captain Cabral, of the trawler, and the members of his crew managed to take off the men of the Perry before she foundered.

WAR TAX SYSTEM FOR CHINA

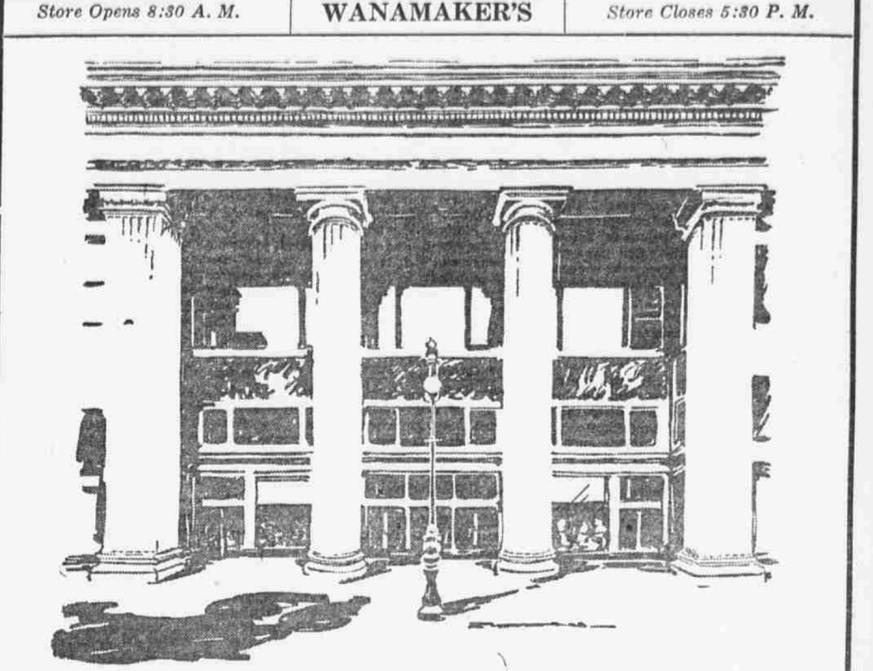
Plan to Raise Revenue From Oil, Tobacco, Liquors and Luxuries.

PEKIN, Oct. 20.—A new system of taxation is being considered by President Yuan Shi Kai and his Cabinet, should the new plan be adopted it will obtain revenue from kerosene oil, tobacco, liquors and luxuries of all kinds.

A stamp tax on land transfers, hunting licenses, etc., as revenue-producing measures are also being planned.

New Diphtheria Cases at Wilmington

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 20.—Two more cases of diphtheria were reported here yesterday. This makes a total of nine cases in the city.



The Grand Organ Plays Tomorrow at 9, 11 and 5:15

BLANKETS AT UNRISEN PRICES And Hundreds of Pairs at Special Prices. Every good grade of blanket made will be found in this collection—all-wool, part wool, all cotton, all camel's hair; white blankets, scarlet blankets, gray blankets, Standard United States Army and Navy regulation blankets; "Navajo" blankets patterned and colored like the original Indian Navajos; blankets in Scotch plaid designs, including the "Harry Lauder;" blankets from Yorkshire, England, in bright colors and striped designs; white blankets from Holland; fine Australian wool blankets woven in Austria, the world's finest blankets; Australian wool blankets made in America—all these are here for you to choose from, and it is quite apparent there isn't such another stock in Philadelphia. OF SPECIAL NOTE—California wool blankets in three sizes, two grades, all wool: GRADE 1 60 x 90—\$11 a pair 72 x 90—\$12 a pair 80 x 90—\$13.50 a pair GRADE 2 60 x 90—\$13 a pair 72 x 90—\$14 a pair 80 x 90—\$15 a pair Every pair of these is priced below the low rates of last Autumn. Every pair separately boxed. (Fifth Floor, Market) New Kermanshahs, New Mossouls, New Hall Strips are in the special disposal of Oriental Rugs on the Main Floor, Chestnut Street. The Kermanshahs are very fine specimens in Medallion and all-over designs of rare beauty, but they are priced as low as the commoner types—\$179 to \$1195, for sizes 9 x 13 to 12 x 18. Fine new Mossouls are marked \$14.75, \$16.25, \$17.75, \$18.50, \$22.50 and \$25, in sizes 3 ft. x 6 ft., 3 ft. 6 x 7 ft. 6 and 4 ft. x 7 ft. Mossoul Hall Strips, \$18, \$20 and \$22. (Main Floor, Chestnut) JOHN WANAMAKER PHILADELPHIA

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